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Dear Doctor Keitel:

Since Doctor Hockett is away on a somewhat lengthy trip, your letter of January 3rd has been referred to me.

We have supported certain work in the field of smoking, gestation and birth weight and are also interested in such studies under other auspices.

In order to form a basis for comparison of your proposed study with this other work, it would help us to have certain additional information as to the makeup of the population which you plan to study including numbers of individuals, age distribution, economic status and method of collecting data (i.e., prospective or retrospective).

If you could provide such a more detailed statement it will be of great help to us.

Sincerely yours,

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Scientific Director

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